

1 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

2 WESTERN DIVISION AT CINCINNATI

3 ERIC L. JEFFRIES,

4 Plaintiff,

vs.

Case No. C-1-02-351

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CENTRE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, ET AL.,

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Defendants.

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DEPOSITION OF: BYRON MARSHALL HYDE

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DATE: October 10, 2003

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TIME: 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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1 didn't keep all of them, but I did keep some of
2 them. So, in that respect, there is no way I would
3 have everything that the patient sent me.

4 Q. Okay. Would you have your notes from
5 each of the patient's visits?

6 A. I would have notes from each of the
7 patient's visits.

8 Q. And would you have any medical test
9 results?

10 A. I would have -- I would have all medical
11 test reports that I ordered that were completed.

12 Q. You had earlier a rather thick file of
13 material, was that your file on Eric Jeffries?

14 A. That was part of it.

15 Q. Okay. What -- in addition to that thick
16 folder, what other parts of the file would be in
17 existence?

18 A. I -- I honestly have not itemized this
19 file. So, I can't tell you specifically what it
20 does or it does not contain, other than I would
21 have -- all test results that I had received would
22 be there; I would have my interpretations of these;
23 I would have any communications from the patient or

1 details than the scan -- the color printout that
2 you have there - with Dr. Navier. Or in California
3 I spent frequent hours with Dr. Ismail Menna
4 (phonetic spelling), who is the chief at U.C.L.A.
5 I have also met with the present chief at U.C.L.A.,
6 but only once.

7 Q. But is the answer is that you've had no
8 formal training in it but, you get to work with the
9 doctors --

10 A. Exactly.

11 Q. -- who have the training?

12 A. Exactly.

13 Q. All right. With regard to --.

14 A. But I would say that they are the
15 experts, not me.

16 Q. Right.

17 A. What -- what is different about the
18 reading is I can say, "this looks like there may be
19 a problem in the subcortex and you didn't mention
20 this." Sometimes the neuroradiologist just reports
21 on the obvious, and we now have the ability to give
22 computer printouts of the subcortex in different
23 organelles of the brain, and very frequently they